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Smoke Detector Credited with Saving Baby's Life

By Andree A. Belisle

MILLBURY - Millbury Fire Chief Tom Nault credits a smoke detector and quick action by Donna Ramstrom for saving the life of her three month old daughter Veronica on April 24. The baby was in her crib in an upstairs bedroom of the multi-family home at 29 Sutton Road when a fire, believed to be electrical in nature, broke out.

Firefighter Pat Simonds extinguishes the burning mattress.

According to Nault, when Ramstrom heard the smoke detector go off she ran up the stairs to check on her baby and discovered thick black smoke coming from the room. By the time she reached the room, the baby's crib was already on fire. She grabbed the baby and fled the room, but not before closing the door. "That's a key thing," Nault said, "closing the doors. Closing the door, prompt response by firefighters and venting of the roof kept damage to the property to a minimum," he said.

Ramstrom, Veronica, and another daughter, 3-year old Jennifer, were treated and released at St. Vincent Hospital. Assistant Fire Chief Phil Day Jr. was also treated and released for burns he received to his hands when removing a burning mattress from the room. Firefighter Mike Newland received a minor injury to his hand while helping to connect a hose to the hydrant.

Nault was asked how long it takes from the time a smoke detector goes off until a room is engulfed in flames. "The National Fire Protection Association did a study on that," he replied, "and it's a lot less than people think. In a training film they asked people how long they think they have to get out of a house. Some people said 10 or 15 minutes. They started a fire in a waste paper basket, and as soon as they saw ignition they timed it. Off the top of my head, I'm going to say it was less than three minutes before the room was completely involved.

"Basically," Nault said, "from the time the smoke detector goes off until the time you have to get out of your house is usually less than two minutes before you can't get out." He explained that smoke detectors are placed next to sleeping areas specifically because of the minimal amount of time available.

Nault also stressed the need for multiple smoke detectors. "If you have them interconnected, and there's a fire downstairs and you sleep upstairs, you may not hear the one downstairs. The one upstairs would then act like its own alert station." The type of system described by Nault is now a requirement for anyone building or purchasing a new home.

Although the primary purpose of a smoke detector is to save lives, Nault said benefits are also realized in the lessening of property damage. "People are getting notified a lot sooner that there is a fire;" he said, " they are calling the fire department sooner; we're able to get up there sooner, so there's a lot less damage."

"The whole story to this," Nault said, "is, anybody who doesn't have a smoke detector or a number of smoke detectors is really foolhardy." You could also say they may very well be playing with fire.

Chronicle Receives Award for Investigative Story

NEWTON - Andree A. Belisle, editor/reporter for the Millbury-Sutton Chronicle received the third place award for Investigative News in the Massachusetts Press Association's 1990 Annual Newspaper Contest. The awards were made at the Association's banquet held at the Marriott in Newton on April 27.

Belisle was given the award for her story "Is the Road to Heaven Paved with Asphalt?," which appeared in the Chronicle last May. The prize winning article dealt with illegal dumping at Central Cemetery in Millbury.

All contest entries were judged by professional journalists from the Providence Journal Bulletin in Rhode Island. This was the first time the Chronicle had submitted any of its stories in any competition.

Donnelly Honored by Colleagues

(l-r) Selectmen Gerald Bleau, Donald Gauthier, Jude Cristo, Roland Lachance, and John Donnelly.

MILLBURY - Selectmen John S. Donnelly, Jr., was honored by his colleagues on April 24, his last night of service to the town as a member of the Board of Selectmen. He had announced his decision not to seek reelection earlier in the year. Donnelly was first elected to the board on March 11, 1972, serving as chairman for 12 of those 18 years.

Board Chairman Jude Cristo presented Donnelly with a plaque and praised him for his years of service to the community. He said Donnely had served with honor, esteem and integrity.

Johnson and Strieby Win in Sutton

SUTTON - Forty-five percent of the Town's registered voters turned out to cast their ballots in the April 28 annual town election. Elected to the board of selectmen were incumbent Wallace Johnson and newcomer David Strieby. Incumbent Carl A. Licopoli was defeated in the three-way race for two seats on the board. Johnson was the top vote getter with 1,089 to Strieby's 1038 and Licopoli's 686. All other races were uncontested.

Official results for unopposed candidates were as follows: Linda J. Roach, School Committee, 1137; Richard Stewart, Board of Health, 1152; Lester Aldrich, Library Trustee, 1124; Charlotte Tanner, Housing Authority, 1101; Neil Newton, Recreation Commission, 1127; Richard Wunschel, Cemetery Commission, 1086.

Two non-binding ballot questions were also passed by voters. Question one asked voters if they oppose further cuts or withholding of local aid by the state to Sutton; 1226 voted yes, 297 voted no. Question two asked if 40% of the State's revenue from taxes should be shared with towns and cities on a continuing and consistent basis to help support basic local services such as public safety, public health, and education; 1388 answered yes, 123 said no.

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We The People...

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To the Editor:

The Committee to Oppose the Proposed New Millbury Town Charter sincerely thanks all the Millbury residents who showed their support with personal assistance, monetary contributions, sign locations, and their votes.

The generous contributions paid the cost of flyers, signs, permits and advertisements.

The signs located at many property sites throughout the town provided visual support to all Millbury voters. And the voters, on April 24, proved that when they are given all the facts on an issue, they are capable of making informed decisions, and maintaining their rights to vote by resoundingly defeating the establishment of the proposed new Millbury Town Charter.

Again, thanks to all Millbury residents for their continuing efforts to preserve our rights.

The Committee to Oppose
the Proposed New Millbury Town Charter 1990
William F. Moore, Chairman
Arthur J. Moore, Treasurer
Millbury

Looks Forward to Serving

To the Editor:

At this time, I would like to take the opportunity to thank the voters of Millbury for the positive support evidenced in electing me as a member of the Millbury Planning Board.

A special thanks goes to Mary Clark, Mark Auclair, and to the following members of the Millbury Youth Center: Gerry Horner, John Nordstrom, Liz O'Leary, Jamie Sabourin, Jessica Bleau and Kim Noferi for their hard work and effort which was apparent during my campaign.

I look forward to serving the people in the Town of Millbury as a planning board member.

Mary E. Lampron
Millbury

Two Groups - One Purpose

To the Editor:

The growing coalition that is supporting the zoning by-law change that bans power plants from Sutton until they are approved by a two/thirds majority of town floor voters has evolved from TWO distinct yet related groups.

The first group is the long-time residents of Sutton. Fending off threats to the character of their town is nothing new for these Suttonians. They believe in their quiet, their rural, and their scenic New England town, and they have constructed the town's character around the imagery of "ole sam sutton."

The second group moved into Sutton because they were attracted to the same characteristics that the long-time residents had fought to preserve. They chose to raise their children, build their homes, and settle their roots in this quaint New England town. They believe Sutton is special, that Sutton means quality life, that Sutton is symbolized by things like the Waters Farm, and that Sutton has a unique niche in the Blackstone Valley.

Both groups know that change is inevitable, but, both groups want these inevitable changes to be responsible changes. Furthermore, when confronted with these fundamentally critical changes, they want the democratic right to approve those changes. The ban power plants by-law gives the people of Sutton this right of approval. People who believe in their rights and who care about the quality of life in Sutton are supporting the ban.

The character of Sutton hinges on their support.

Robert Austin
Sutton

Correction

Last week's Millbury election results incorrectly gave the impression that Regina Bleau did not win election as a Library Trustee. Although only Karen Kenary's name was listed on the ballot, there were two openings available. Bleau ran a sticker campaign and was elected with 48 votes.

To the Editor:

In a recent letter, I mentioned that CO is heavier than air. Hopefully some chemistry students and astute readers caught that error. CO_2, not CO, is heavier than air. CO is toxic; CO_2, although nontoxic, contributes to the "greenhouse effect" recently mentioned in the White House conference on global warming. Sorry for any confusion caused.

Jane Kerins
Sutton

CALENDAR can be found on Page 15

OBITUARIES

Ivy V. Kendrick

MILLBURY - Ivy V. (Built) Kendrick, 77, of 23 Hamilton Street, died April 21 in St. Vincent Hospital.

She leaves her husband, Frank Kendrick; two sons, Richard W. Kendrick of Tuscaloosa, Ala., and David F. Kendrick of Sutton; and four grandchildren. Mr. and Mrs. Kendrick were married 53 years.

She was born in Providence, R.I., daughter of Sidney and Amy (Warner) Built, and lived in Millbury 51 years. Mrs. Kendrick was a legal secretary for Worcester lawyer John F. Baxter for 28 years. She retired in 1978. She graduated from the former Bryant & Stratton Secretarial School in Providence.

Mrs. Kendrick was a member of St. John's Episcopal Church in Wilkinsonville, the Millbury Golden Age Club, the Auburn Grange and the former Millbury Grange, and Bancroft Chapter, American Association of Retired Persons, in Worcester.

Funeral services were held at Mulhane Home for Funerals. The Rev. Walter E. Reynolds officiated. Burial was in Central Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Heart Association, 23 Midstate Drive, Auburn 01501 or a charity of one's choice.

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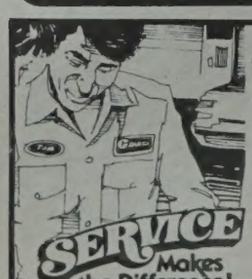

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HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

March "Student of the Month" and Pride Awards for the month of March are as follows: Student of the Month - High School, Kathy Ayotte and Mike Doherty; Grade eight, John Thomas and Anne Boudreau; Pride Award - High School, Vicki Pano and Brian Hickey; Grade eight, Andy Mason and Jennifer Blaszczyk.

MIDDLE SCHOOL HAPPENINGS

Since February vacation, the middle school physical education students have participated in volleyball, team handball, wrestling (grades 6 and 7), and cooperative game activities. These activities stressed eye/hand coordination, strength, agility, endurance, cooperation and teamwork.

The students are currently taking the post-test of the Health Related Physical Fitness Test. The pre-test was taken in the fall. In each of the tests (sit-ups, pull-ups or arm hang, flexibility, and mile walk/run), the students are compared to a minimum health standard. Meeting or exceeding the minimum health standard indicates a healthy lifestyle for the students. None of the tests are based on athletic ability.

In the fall, 324 of the 479 students reached the health standards in the majority of the tests. They were awarded certificates for achievement in health and fitness.

ELMWOOD NEWS

Elmwood children posted improvement scores of over 90% in their Post Physical Fitness Test. With only the mile left, the Grade 1 through 3 youngsters totally dominated their tests.

Grade 3 boys shattered the myth that kids from this area were weak in arm and upper body strength as Paul McQuade held an amazing 94 seconds (best 3rd grade score since testing began in Millbury) to lead the way, followed closely by Matt Nielsen, Matt Brown, David Jannery and Bob Piazza. Also joining the "60" club were Jason Louis, Steven Miller, David Sarcione, Tom Sullivan, Tim Brooks, Mike Dow, Jared Hakala, Jordan Lockwood, and Nick Watts.

Jennifer Murphy led the girls with 76, besting Katie Lawrence (73) and Michelle Piazza (73). Joining the "60" club were Jaime Channin, Eryca Fox, Jennifer Jack, Michelle Grenier and Kristi Lavoie.

The girls continued to hold an edge in flexibility with Candi Yamanaka and Nicole Russo leading the way with a score of 35, besting Sarah Dufresne and Christine Rano by one centimeter. Others in "Club 30" were Kelley Henry, Ann Kach, Danielle Murphy, Trista Carey, Eryca Fox, Christina Campolito, Jessica Karsok, Michelle Faticanti, Shannan Goodine, Sherri Roy and Jennifer Murphy.

Bruce Huson (30) was the combined champion with Tom Sullivan (34). The boys' runner up "Club 30" members were Ashok Abraham, Mike Markey, Ryan Potter, Ryan Day, David Jannery and Nick Watts.

Bob Piazza (60) and Nick Watts (55) did the most sit-ups while Mike Mayer, Bruce Huson, Ryan Potter, Stephen Miller, David Sarcione, Nick Strom, Tom Piascik, John Wood and Ryan Day had excellent scores.

Christina Rano led the girls, followed by Kelley Henry, Ann Kach, Trista Carey, Sarah Dufresne, Brittany Dumais, Sarah Montigny, Kristen Wilczynski, Kandi Yamanaka, Christina Campolito, Danielle Ward, Michelle Piazza, Kristen Gosselin and Jennifer Murphy.

The Grade 2 girls proved to be the most flexible of all Elmwood's children as Carolyn Flynn (37) led 21 girls (Sarah Miles, Cassie Boucher, Mary Homer, Samantha Soulor, Sandra Soulor, Tara Lebel, Jessie Remuck, Erica Stevenson, Leah Tamburro, Heidi Wassell, Jennifer Gosselin, Carissa Mercure, Rose Finne, Colleen Daley, Krystal Lapierre, Jessica Strom, Jennifer Markey, Shayne Piasta, Jessica Plante and Megan Swett) into the "30" club.

Peter Devine also scored 37 to lead the boys who placed (Joey Garza, Jonathan Olson, Mike Gabrila, Nick Mitchell, Matt Collette, Brian Dupuis, Chris Polselli, Joe Megarry and Matt Cloutier) in the "30" club.

As strong as the girls were in the sit-n-reach, the boys were in the sit-ups. Mike Orrell's 49 bested Mike Russell, Ray Richards, Peter Devine, Joshua Stockwell, Matt Toedt and Jake Savage. Also scoring well were Jason Cadrin, Joey Garza, Andy Krumsiek, Chris Racicot, Bryan Richards, Norman Lussier, Kurt Bernier, Jesse Guzzetti, Peter Luikey, Bobby Kniskern, and Chris Gosselin.

Valerie Spencer's 44 edged out Mary Beth Rogers and Debbie Rodriguez' 40. Michelle Ushinski, Stephanie Beaucage, Sarah Lillie, Carolyn Flynn, Jennifer Gosselin, Jenna Pojani and Krystal Lapierre completed the top ten.

Ray Richards showed the best arm strength with a score of 72, followed by Matt Toedt, Ron Kerswell, Mike Orrell, Matt Orsi, Mike Russell, Peter Devine, Tony Morin, Nick Riani and Matt Cloutier.

Stephanie Beaucage hung for 65 seconds, with Noelle Ebert, Lindsey Thulin, Debbie Rodriguez, Carolyn Flynn, Valerie Spencer, Jennifer Speight, Jennifer Gosselin, Shayne Piasta and Emily Rice, rounding out the top ten.

In the first grade, Geoffrey Cronan recorded 72 seconds in the boys arm hang followed by Joe Sarcione (55), Andy Graves (51), and Robert Rainville (51). David Richardson, Mike Anthony, Brian Kniskern, Marvin Degon and Francis Trottier completed the top ten.

The girls were led by Sarah Gagne (51), closely followed by Nicole Murphy (37) and Alice Connelly (36). Melissa Mathews, Kristen Noble, Sarah DeAdder, Colleen Caron, Kaitlin Moriarty and Kerri Paquette also scored well.

Ryan Boucher had the most sit-ups (38) for the boys, with Andrew Narris, David Richardson, Mike Ward, Geoffrey Cronan, Adam Woelfel, Ryan Pinga, Richard Cerrone, Paul Shablin, John Cristo, Ryan Goulet, Brian Kniskern, Cory Roberts and Mike Gilbert also doing exceptionally well.

Courtney Cox, Kristen Noble and Andrea Ross tied for the girls' lead with 32, followed by Kristy LeBlanc, Ashley Brisson, Eileen Kelly, Joanna Morin, Colleen Caron, Kaitlin Moriarty, Nicole Murphy, and Tiffany Speight.

Courtney Luksha proved most flexible in the class with a score of 37 in the sit-n-reach. Other girls joining the "30" club were Jennifer Garza, Kandis Garza, Eileen Kelly, Amy Vosburg, Laine Parenteau, Tiffany Galipeau, Nicole Murphy, Kerri Paquette and Andrea Ross.

Brian Flynn led the boys with a score of 33, followed closely by Paul Shablin, Bobby McDonald, Andy Graves, Dean Atwood, Jonathan Hartline, Kevin Witherell, Mike Welcom, and Francis Trottier.

Students View Monet Exhibit

SUTTON - Sutton High School Art students in grades 9 -12 traveled to the Museum of Fine Arts in Boston on April 24 to view the Monet Exhibit. Monet in the 90's, The Series Paintings, is an international exhibition of paintings by the renowned French Impressionist, Claude Monet. Begun when Monet was 50 years old, these series paintings were revolutionary and represented the culmination of his lifelong concern with the beauties of his native land. After viewing the exhibit, the students enjoyed lunch and shopping at Quincy Market.

Kollios Open House

MILLBURY - Representative Paul Kollios will hold an open house for his new District Office on 505 Washington Street (Rte. 20) in Auburn on Sunday, May 6, from 2-4 p.m. The public is invited.

"This new district office is centrally located to accommodate all three towns in my district," Kollios said. "I will continue my regular office hours and Senior Citizen Center visits."

Singles Dance

AUBURN - A singles dance will be held at the Auburn Elks Club, Southbridge Street, on Friday, May 4 from 8:30-12:30. This dance is sponsored by the Worcester Separated and Divorced Catholic Support Group. Admission is $5.00 per person. All single, separated, divorced and widowed are invited.

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Power Plant Discussion Tops Meeting Agenda

By Edward J. Cooney

SUTTON - Chairman Rick LaBonte opened the April 24 Selectmen's meeting at 8:00 p.m. Because of the large number of residents in attendance to discuss the power plant proposal., the meeting was moved to larger quarters down the hall.

Administrator's Update

Town Administrator Dexter Blois reported that the town administrator in Northbridge has indicated that he will walk the bounds of the town whenever anyone is willing to do it from the Town of Sutton. "I would leave it to you to appoint someone or do whatever you decide to do," Blois said. No action was taken by the board.

Blois told the board that 11 bids have been received for computers. He said he would review them for next week's meeting.

Appointment

A joint meeting was held with the School Committee to select a representative to the Blackstone Valley Regional School Committee (BVRSC). School committee members Ann Fox, Elizabeth Bacon and Glenn Anderson were present. Anderson placed the name of Kelton Johnson in nomination. He was unanimously approved by a joint vote of both boards. Johnson presently serves as Chairman of BVRSC.

Public Forum

LaBonte recognized resident and S.T.O.P. (Sutton Taxpayers Opposed to Power Plants) spokesman Robert Austin. Austin said rumors were circulating that J. Makowski, the proponents of a peak load power plant, may apply for an ANR (Approval Not Required) permit.

LaBonte explained that he received a call from the president of J. Makowski on April 19. "He indicated to me his company was not comfortable with the ban or the board's proposed moratorium because we were changing that from a one year moratorium to a two year one. They felt very strongly that they were going to apply for an ANR (Approval Not Required)," LaBonte said. "That ANR would effectively freeze the zoning on that site as it is right now."

LaBonte said he told the company president that he thought they would be sending the town a wrong message if they applied for the ANR. "On Monday this week," LaBonte said, "I called Tom Smith, vice president of J. Makowski. He assured me that the decision to file an ANR was his. After the indication that I had spoken to the board - Mary K. (Connor) spoke to him. I think Carl (Licopoli) has spoken to him - that they would not proceed to file an ANR. I told him in the strongest possible terms that this board and this town had a commitment from them, and if the town did not want them here after doing their research, that they did not want to be here. If they were going to file an ANR then this was not consistent with what they have been telling us. I told him that was my personal opinion and the board essentially agreed with that. After speaking with him yesterday, he indicated they would not file the ANR."

LaBonte asked everyone to keep in mind that the town now has a commitment from Smith. "I have no reason to disbelieve him," he said.

Austin then asked for an explanation of an ANR: "Does it have to be entered to a Planing Board? Can it be entered at 5:00 on May 7? Just when and where and how are these procedures carried out?"

Blois replied that an ANR comes under the subdivision control law. "Basically, if a person wants to subdivide land into lots that conform to town bylaws, the person has a right to do that," Blois said. He went on to explain that an ANR protects the lot from the date of the filing of the plan with the zoning that is in place at that time.

"For example," Blois said, "if an ANR is filed now or any time before May 7th, that plot described on the plan is protected by the zoning in place today as there won't be any change before May 7th." Blois said the developer, if he complies with certain filing requirements, would be able to build within the bylaws that are in place today. "If it is a power plant, a power plant could be built with a special permit if the special permit is granted by the ZBA and conforms to the other dimensional requirements. Filing an ANR is relatively easy," Blois said. "It doesn't have to be before an open session of the ZBA. A certified mailing to the planning board or to the town is acceptable."

John Volpigno of West Sutton Road asked why the town now finds itself in this situation. "I do not know how this could have happened," he said. "If anyone could explain this to me I would appreciate it."

Labonte replied, "How did we get ourselves in this position? Maybe from the years of not looking ahead. In the past 10 years I think Sutton has done things other communities haven't done. We have plans, we have tightened up zoning. Obviously over the years there are some things we haven't done that we are working on. Hopefully we can find money that will help us get a part time planner. In order to protect the town you need the professional people. Without them it becomes part time boards and committees."

Selectman Wally Johnson noted that the site happens to be a desirable location. "The gas line is there, the power line is there. It's not just Makowski, others are looking for places to put power plants," he said. "You cannot deny anyone the privilege of applying. If you had all kinds of constraints they still could come in and look for loopholes or give some kind of an argument why they or someone else should be there. You can't deprive anyone of that privilege. I'm not saying I like them, nor saying I don't like them. That's how it came about. They found an ideal spot and it happened to be in Sutton."

Volpigno noted that hours were spent on studies to ensure that Rte. 146 will not become another Rte. 9. "Has that died," he asked. "I don't see an answer now or an answer a mile down the line. I don't think the Selectmen have addressed that thoroughly. Everyone has to take a hard look at that."

Licopoli said the issue is up to the town meeting. "This particular industry you are talking about is a relatively new product in its physical makeup. It isn't ugly in its physical make up as you would see at Con Edison down in Boston. It's a new idea and a new concept. How you prevent something new, I don't know. You had an opportunity several years ago when all regulations were reviewed and voted on again. If you were aware and concerned you could have made your opinions known then. That bylaw has been here."

Ed Wrenn, of Manchaug Road, who serves as chairman of the Recreation Committee, brought up the fact that numerous vacancies exist on town boards. "The only time we see an outpouring such as tonight is when it touches a raw nerve," he said. "The way you put that raw pain to rest both painfully and economically is to become involved in the grassroots. I challenge all of you not to leave here tonight saying, 'I'm here to give my two cents and won't be back again.' Get involved, talk to your elected boards, ask how you can serve. If you are involved, you would know what's going on and you could prevent it before it happens."

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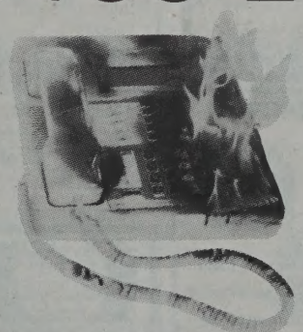

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On The Shelf

By Rosemary Waltos

May Highlights

MOTHER'S DAY WORKSHOP - Wednesday, May 9, at 3:30 p.m. Children in grades 3 and up are invited to learn how to make a special Mother's Day surprise using Nature's gifts from the sea. Registration necessary. (Ask about our Father's Day workshop coming up in June.).

FLEA MARKET - Saturday, May 19, 10-2. The Friends of the Millbury Public Library will hold a flea market on the grounds of the library. If you have items (no large items) to donate to the sale, call 865-9488 or 865-6757 or drop them off at the library starting May 15.

COMPU-VIEW - Tuesday, May 15, 3:30. This is your chance to learn how to use the library's Apple IIE computer. Open to children in grades 3 and up. Only graduates of Compu-View or one of our other computer courses can use the Children's Room computer. Registration starts on May 8.

Agency on Aging Relocates

WEST BOYLSTON - The Central Massachusetts Agency on Aging has relocated its offices from Holden to 360 West Boylston Street. The agency is a private non-profit agency designated by the Commonwealth to administer mandated programs under the Older Americans Act. For further information, call 852-5539.

SUTTON SENIOR NEWS

WEEK'S ACTIVITIES

MONDAY: Crafts from 1-3 in the Senior Center. Medical appointments all day, pre-registration required.
TUESDAY: Pokeno at 10 a.m. at the Senior Center. Lunch at noon. Pitch at 1:00 p.m. Special shopping in the afternoon, pre-registration required.
WEDNESDAY: Exercise at 11:00 a.m. at the Senior Center. Lunch at noon. Medical appointments in the afternoon, pre-registration required.
THURSDAY: grocery shopping all day, pre-registration required. Health checks from 8-9:30 a.m. in the Community Room at Orchard Apartments. Information and Referral Service from 10-11:30 a.m., also in the community room.
FRIDAY: lunch at noon. Blood pressures taken from 12:30-1:00 p.m. in the municipal center library. Senior Citizens' Conference at Patrick's.
ANNUAL TOWN MEETING - Monday, May 7.

July 4th Parade

MILLBURY - Anyone interested in entering a car float or advertising their business with a float or banner in the Lions Club's July 4th parade is asked to call Len Horton at 865-4898.

Dedicated Volunteer

MILLBURY - The Millbury School Connection has honored Pam Potter as one of its most devoted volunteers.

Potter has lived in Millbury for 37 years and has been married for 15 years. She has three children, all in the Millbury school system. Her sons Mark and David attend the Shaw Middle School and her son Ryan attends Elmwood.

Pam is a graduate of Millbury High School and Framingham State College. She is a medical technician at Memorial Hospital and enjoys working in the laboratory. Her hobbies and interests include reading historic and suspense novels, traveling, attending her sons' sporting events, and daily walks.

Potter has been actively involved in the Millbury School Connection since it began and serves on the advisory board. Her activities in the Connection include: Project R.E.D. (Read Every Day) at Elmwood, tutoring math with Mrs. Lufkin at the High School, and volunteering in the special needs department. Other activities include testing, field trips, book fairs, community reading day, and more. She has also found time to serve on the curriculum and homework study committees.

In making the announcement, the School Connection said, "Pam feels that the Millbury School Connection has been a worthwhile experience and hopes that more and more parents become involved in it. Her smile and pleasant personality make her stand out and a joy to be around."

Appearing at St. Charles

MILLBURY - Slant 6 and the Jumpstarts will be performing at the St. Charles Hotel, West Main Street, on Saturday, May 5, at 9:30 p.m.

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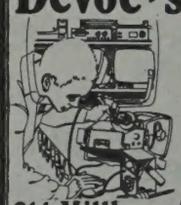

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SUTTON from Page 5

Larry Moore, of Stone School Road, held up a book containing the town's zoning by-laws. He noted that action was taken at town meeting last year which allows for power plants, water plants, sewer treatment plants and refuse facilities to be located in an R-1 District by special permit. "That is your zoning law you passed at Town meeting," he said. "The only way you're going to counteract that is to know what is going on."

Mary K. Connor explained that the change at the October town meeting made it more restrictive to have a power plant in an industrial zone. "Prior to the change last October," she said, "power plants were allowed by right, which means they didn't have to get a special permit, just a building permit in an industrial zone." She also noted that there are zoning changes on the ballot for the May 7th town meeting.

A gentleman in the rear of the hall asked who could issue the special permit. LaBonte replied that it would be ZBA. "I might add that there is a vacancy on that board," he said. "If you would like to leave your name, and you're interested, please do."

Labonte went on to explain that zoning changes are made at the annual town meeting. "There have been town meetings where there has been half the number of people that are here tonight," he said. "It's your money that's being spent. I am thrilled to see this many people here tonight. I would be equally thrilled to see this many at the town meeting on May 7th and 8th."

A member of the audience asked whether the people in town would ultimately have the power to stop the plant.

Labonte said he could not give a yes or no answer. "If you don't want them, I urge you to support the ban. If you think it should be looked at, vote the moratorium. If the task force studying it comes back and says the issues are such that we are nervous about it, I would think we would go back and pass something to eliminate the possibility of power plants in Sutton."

Board members were then asked to state where they stand on the issue.

Chizy said he has no firm opinion at this time. "I have serious reservations about the water, about what goes up the stack, and I have serious reservations about the noise," he said. "Until those things are addressed and I am satisfied, I am not going to make up my mind."

Johnson said he was not happy with Makowski's presentation. "I have mixed emotions on this whole thing. I want an answer to the noise level, the aquifer," he said. "There are so many answers that are needed. I supported a moratorium; it's one terrific backup if the STOP program does not succeed."

LaBonte said he has supported the moratorium from the beginning and still supports it. He proposed that a non-binding question be placed on the ballot at the next annual town election if the task force has completed its study so the voters of Sutton can decide the issue. "It's only fair," he said. "I would live with the results."

Licopoli said he needed more answers. He noted that the selectmen favor the moratorium to allow the task force the opportunity to study the concerns of water, oil storage, traffic and noise. "These questions have to be fully answered and fully understood by everyone before you can say it is good or bad," he said. "I am more in favor of the moratorium so you can judge it properly."

Mary K. Connor said she believes that the plant could be beneficial to the town but also feels there are legitimate concerns that must be addressed. "I sincerely hope that these issues can be settled to the town's satisfaction," she said. "In this time of state and local fiscal crises, at a time when this town is having a great deal of difficulty in funding its own budget at a level we think it should be funded at, and at a time when this town has seen in the last year a 25% increase in the tax rate, I believe that a yearly addition of over $230,000 to this town is a good thing. I do not think this facility in any way, shape or form, if properly regulated, will pose a threat to the rural character of the town."

Connor also said the town must play by the rules. "We have rules in place that were adopted in the past by the town meeting. I believe under these rules our town boards can and will act in the town's best interest," she said. "I recognize there is a need to change rules from time to time. That's proper and right. I believe the task force we have put in place will help us in determining any changes we need and if we need any.

"As a selectmen," Connor said, "I don't feel I should alter my position at this point under public pressure from a political action group. I don't think you would want a selectman that would do that and I won't do it. If the facts as they come in change my mind and if a power plant would harm the rural character of the town, I would change my mind and I would support a change in the zoning. At this time, I hope we will end up with this particular peaking facility."

Board members were asked what would happen if either the ban or the moratorium were passed.

"If the ban passes, that's the end," Johnson said. "If the ban does not pass, and I think you need a 2/3 vote, you've got to work hard to get that and more power to you if you do. If we have a moratorium you have two years that allows no power plants. If the Task Force gets through with its job and I'm still on the board, I'm sure we will have the courtesy to go back to the people."

Peter Herman of Stone School Road asked what the board members would do if Makowski did apply for an ANR prior to the town meeting.

"I'll tell you what I would do," Johnson replied, "I would pound the streets 24 hours a day."

Chizy said if an ANR was passed he could not support it.

"My feelings," LaBonte said, "are they would not have lived up to the commitment of this town. It's my feeling that they expressed a strong desire to be here only if they are wanted here. If they file an ANR, and they have a right to do that, it would be a breach of faith with this community and this board. I would not support them. And I would come out, as Mr. Johnson has said, to use the resources to defeat them."

Licopoli said that it is Makowski's privilege to file and he did not consider it appropriate to interfere with their rights.

Connor, too, said that under the law Makowski has certain rights.

Representatives of J. Makowski were scheduled to attend the May 1 selectmen's meeting.

Citation

LaBonte read a citation from the Senate, citing Wally Johnson's 30 years of outstanding service to the community.

Financial Picture

Blois gave an update on the financial picture of the town with respect to budget developments. He said a consensus of the Finance Committee is that everyone will try to provide the same level of services without added personnel. There will be cost of living adjustments for present employees.

Yard Sale at Library

MILLBURY - The Millbury Public Library will hold a yard sale on Saturday, May 19, from 10-2. If you have any items you would like to donate, call 865-9448 after 6 p.m. or leave the items at the library the week of May 14-18. Proceeds from the yard sale will be used to assist in presenting programs for all ages at the library.

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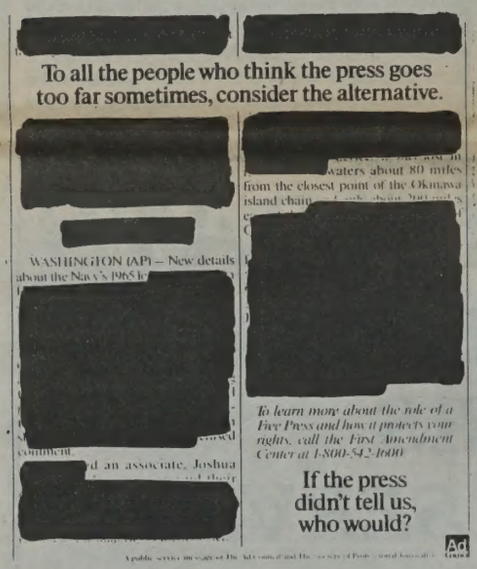
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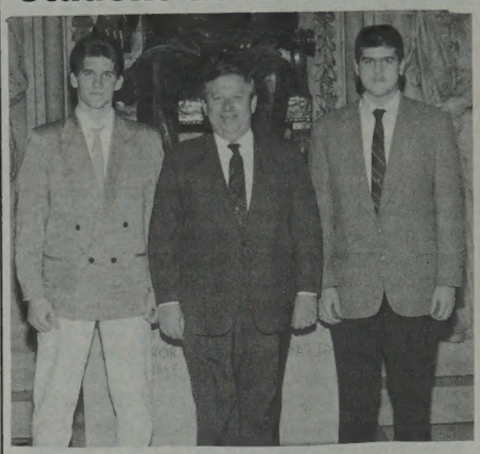

BOSTON - High school students from Millbury and Sutton recently travelled to the Massachusetts State House to participate in the 1990 Student Government Day activities. Pictured (photo left) is Sutton High School delegate Weston Moran, Representative Richard T. Moore, and alternate Jason Perry. Photo to the right shows Jayne Davolio, Rep. Paul Kollios, and Kristine Jones.

Spring Market

MILLBURY - The Women's Fellowship of the First Congregational Church, West Main Street, will hold a Spring Market on Saturday, May 19, from 9-2.

Kathy Whitten is Plant Chairwoman and, along with Ruth Marble and Chris Rudge, will provide a colorful array of hanging plants, annuals, and geraniums.

Barbara Stansbury and Ella Grout will have delicious selection of home made pies at their table, baked by the Fellowship's prize pie bakers.

Bargain hunters will find a good selection for all ages in the experienced clothing, accessories and jewelry departments. See Chairwoman Betty Stockwell and Jodi Jerszyk, Janice Fortin, Kay Lachance, Mildred Stowe or Thelma Swedberg for assistance. Joan Greenwood will ring up your purchases.

If shopping makes you work up an appetite, Chris and Tom Dion will have refreshments available from the vestry kitchen.

Sutton H. S. Class Reunions

SUTTON - Class reunions for all members and guests of the Sutton High School classes of 1940 through 1944 will be held at the Dudley Gendron Post on September 15, 1990. Contact A. Louis at 865-5826 or Dexter Brigham at 865-2843 for information.

Students Complete Training

SUTTON - Twenty-one sophomore and junior students at Sutton High School have completed an 18 hour training in preparation for teaching fifth and sixth graders about the various issues surrounding substance abuse. The training was provided by Tri-Prevention First, a regional prevention center, through grant funds awarded to the school by the Governor's Alliance Against Drugs.

An introduction to the Peer Education Program was given by means of a special assembly held on March 30 which featured "The Improbable Players." This performing troupe from Boston gave an excellent presentation to grades 5 through 12. The program ran the gamut from comical to sad, but was consistently thought provoking. The assembly was very well received by students and faculty. This program was funded by the Sutton PTA and grant monies awarded to the school.

Peer education leaders and their advisor, Eileen Lombardi, will be attending an all-day conference on May 11 where they will join with 200 other Central Massachusetts peer leaders in a variety of workshops and activities.

Elected Chapter President

The Alpha Zeta Theta chapter of Phi Theta Kappa recently elected Lucyann Swenson of Sutton as President. Swenson is currently studying nursing and plans to attend the University of Massachusetts for her Bachelor's Degree. Her goal is to teach classes in Mental Health. A native of Worcester, she is married to Paul Swenson and is the mother of three children: Rick, 18; Tina, 19; and Dee-Dee, 10. She is better known as Princess Loving One, daughter to Chief Wise Owl of Chaubunagungamaug.

Personality Profiles

WORCESTER - The Worcester Women's Network will meet on May 10 at the Sheraton Inn. Jean H. Allen, Career Counselor at the Central Mass. Y.W.C.A. will explain the theory of personality types and its role in the workplace.

Cost for dinner at 6:30 p.m. is $11.75 for members, $13.75 for non-members. Cost for the program only at 7:30 is $3.00. Reservations are required for dinner and can be made by calling Dorothy Palmgren at Mechanics Hall (752-5608) or by writing to The Worcester Women's Network, P.O. Box 351, West Side Station, Worcester, MA 01602.

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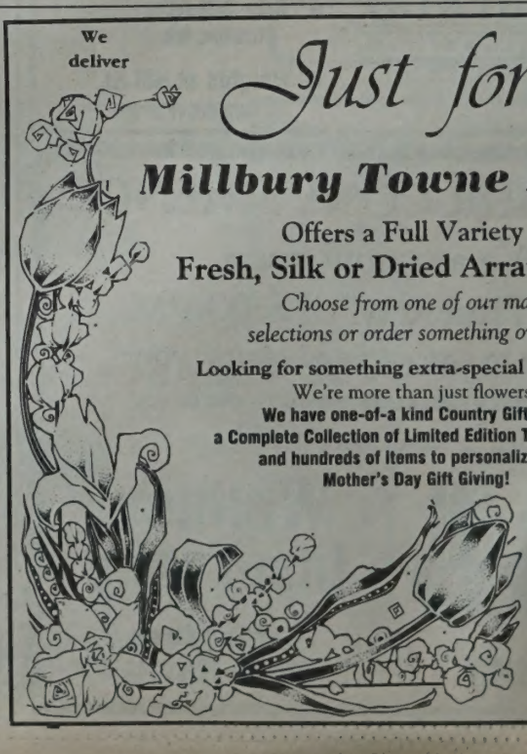

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By "Pastor Rae" Cameron

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There was a television program, I don't remember its name or title but it was something about the law. It opened with a statement about how democracy was the worst form of government, but in comparison to the others it was the best. I sat beside a Japanese Christian at the national convention of the American Baptist Churches of the U.S.A. and he said, "You call this democracy. I call it demo-crazy. A majority of wrong people doesn't make it right." It did make me think about our system, but I'm still 100% for it. It was my privilege to have been at Gettysburg recently, and the immortal words of Lincoln, "a government of the people, by the people, and for the people," ring in my soul.

By the time this column is being read, our Millbury Annual Town Meeting will be history. The Millbury Housing Partnership will now know whether or not their two years of hard work were all in vain. They will have asked the town for two parcels of land on which to create affordable housing for someone who wants to get into the housing market. With town meetings you just never know, do you.

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Sing-a-long

MILLBURY - On May 20, a group of students will perform songs from the 1880's-1950's for the residents of Providence House at 2:00 p.m. Students taking part are: Andrea Crabbe, Kris Gauthier, Tony Mangano, Nicole and Michelle Goode, Lori and Jennifer Fallavaletta, Melissa Deeter, and Kristen Kerins. Helping out with the sing-a-long will be June Nelson, Barbara Boria, Gene Colacchio, Betty Hamilton, Liz Dowdy, Bill Dowdy, and Everett Boulay. The students are from the Wanita Boulay School of Keyboard.

Named to Guard Honor Roll

BOSTON - Representative Richard T. Moore (D-Uxbridge) has been selected by the Massachusetts National Guard Association as the first member of the House of Representatives named to the Association's newly established Legislative Honor Roll. Moore, who has been nicknamed by the association as "Mr. National Guard," was recognized in 1989 as the Association's "Legislator of the Year."

$25M Available for First-Time Home Buyers

BOSTON - According to Senator John P. Houston (D-Worcester) starting April 24, the Massachusetts Housing Finance Agency (MHFA), in cooperation with the Executive Office of Communities and Development, will make an additional $25 million in 8.45% mortgage funds available to help qualified Bay State residents buy their first homes. The low rate is fixed for 30 years.

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According to Houston, this 8.45% mortgage money will help to make home ownership more affordable for about 250 first-time home buyers statewide.

MHFA expects to have additional funds available sometime in late spring or early summer. For brochures about the Agency's various programs and a list of participating lenders, consumers should call MHFA's office of Single Family Programs at (617) 451-2766 or Houston's office at 792-6202.

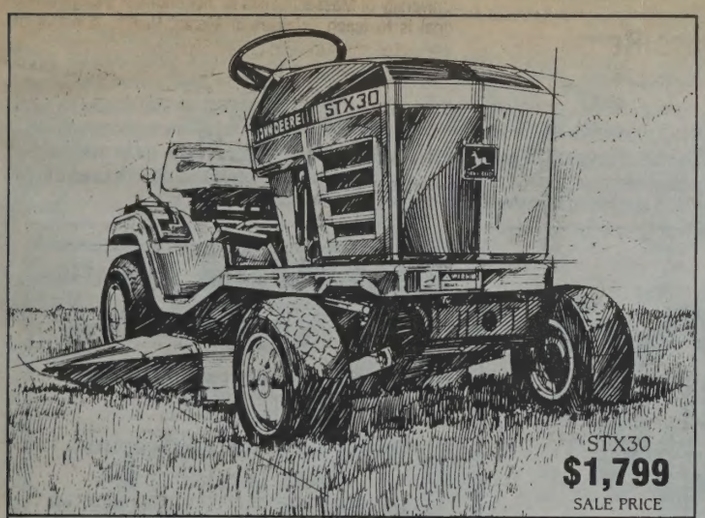
Past Commanders Banquet

SUTTON - The annual Past Commanders Banquet for the Dudley Gendron American Legion Post was held on April 14. Many state and local dignitaries attended, as well as many of the state officers of the American Legion. This event was chaired by James Goode.

As part of the program, David Schroeder presented a plaque to Evelyn Shaw for her many years of service to the town of Sutton as visiting nurse. Sten Brote presented a plaque to Father Walter Reynolds, Jr. for performing the Memorial Day services on the Wilkinsonville Common for many years.

David Tomasso, Finance Officer for the Post, presented a check in the amount of $3,000 to Brenda Jenkins, chairwoman for the Committee for Kids Country. The committee is trying to raise money to put a playground and fitness trail in the town.

Commander of the Post, Vincent C. Roy, Jr., presented 30 year membership pins to G. William Holst and Rene Hebert, both of Sutton. The Commander himself was presented his Past Commanders ring by the immediate Past Commander, John O'Toole of Millbury.



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Winners in Competition

(l-r) VICA gold medal winners John Pignataro (left) and Peter Nikolajevs (right) with Automotive Instructor Dennis Asselin.

UPTON - Of the nine medals recently won at the VICA (Vocational Industrial Clubs of America State Skills Olympics held at Upper Cape Cod Regional in Bourne, three were won by students enrolled in the Automotive Technology Department at Blackstone Valley Regional Vocational Technical High School.

A gold medal in Automotive Technology, along with over $15,000 in tools and scholarships and a trip to the Nationals in Tulsa, Oklahoma, was won by senior John Pignataro of Sutton. A gold medal in Automotive Machine Shop was won by Peter Nikolajevs, a junior from Millbury. Sophomore Jamie Wooldridge of Uxbridge won a silver medal in Automotive Machine Shop. The students were coached by instructors Robert Cournoyer and Dennis Asselin of Grafton, and by Ted Morin of Manchaug.

Fund Raiser Benefits Waters Farm

SUTTON - Representative Richard Moore presents a check for $100 to benefit the Waters Farm Restoration Project to Penny Linder and Norma Bedrosian.The money was raised at Moore's annual St. Patrick's Day Bash.

Woodcome Insurance Merges with Protector Group

WORCESTER - The Paul J. Woodcome Insurance Agency of Leominster and Townsend merged recently with The Protector Group Insurance Agency, Inc. of Worcester. The Protector Group is a full service agency offering personal and business property and casualty insurance and bonding. It also offers employee benefit programs, complete financial services and estate planning. The Protector Group has offices in Millbury, Worcester, Spencer, Barre, Fitchburg, Leominster and Townsend.

Leo F. Woodcome of Leominster was named president of the Paul J. Woodcome Insurance Agency, according to David R. Grenon, chief executive officer of The Protector Group. Thomas J. Murphy of Fitchburg was named vice president and David E. Gesner of Townsend was appointed general manager.

The Woodcome Agency employs 20. It is the oldest property and casualty agency in North Worcester. Founded in 1891, the agency will celebrate its 100th anniversary next year. The Woodcome Agency also consists of the former Putney Insurance Agency of Fitchburg and the G.L. Whitcomb Agency of Townsend. All agencies are now part of The Protector Group.

"This consolidation," Woodcome said, "allows us to offer more progressive and competitive markets for the placement of property and casualty insurance. We can now offer 30 national and regional insurance companies and licensing in six states."

Grenon called the merger a strategic decision to commitment and growth to North Worcester.

Woodcome is a native of Gardner. He joined the Paul J. Woodcome Insurance Agency in 1962., serving as Treasurer since 1981. Woodcome also served on the advisory councils of major insurance companies. He is past president of the Montachusett Regional YMCA and former chairman of the board of the Eastern Regional YMCA. He is past president of the Independent Insurance Agents of Fitchburg. Woodcome is also the former director of the Fitchburg Chamber of Commerce.

He is currently a member of the Professional Insurance Association, the Fitchburg Elks and the Fitchburg Knights of Columbus. He is married and has four children. He resides in Leominster.

Houston Fund Raiser

WORCESTER - Senator John P. Houston (D-Worcester) will hold a fundraiser on Tuesday, May 8, at 7:30 p.m. at Mechanics Hall. Music will be provided by the Winiker Orchestras, and tickets will be available at the door.

Democratic candidates for statewide office have been invited and are expected to attend. "I am very grateful for all of the hard work which my supporters and volunteers have put in to make this event a success," Houston said. "I look forward to an enjoyable evening."

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Another Point of View

It's A World Wide Revolt

By Lawrence Moore

All over the globe, people are rising up in opposition to their governments, their rulers, or their living conditions. Most often this action is occurring peacefully, often without bloodshed. The number of deaths that have occurred are remarkably small considering the extent of these uprisings. This is a revolt, not a revolution. No continent, with the exception of Antarctica, is free from this renascence.

In Canada, the Quebecois still cherish their dream of separatism. In the United States, native Indians are coming into their own as a result of government agreements or court decisions. Central and South America are consistently areas of popular unrest. These uprisings are different from those of decades ago when one power group attempted to overthrow another. Today's uprisings are more people oriented, activities of whole populations seeking self betterment.

Within the Soviet Block the Nationalities continue to strive for self determination. Lithuania secedes, Armenia, Bulgaria, Albania, Rumania, Yugoslavia, Latvia and Estonia all are on the brink of uprising.

Even in the tiny monarchy of Nepal, an anti-monarchist movement has emerged and a constitutional monarchy is a possibility. In Asia, self determination movements are rife in areas from Afghanistan to Sri Lanka. In India, ethnic groups rise to challenge central authority.

South Africa is witnessing a tremendous change, the most significant of which is in the Union of South Africa. In Zaire, which has been governed by a dictator for 20 years, a transitional government has been accepted until free elections occur. In Sudan, 28 officers were executed in an attempt to over-throw the ruling Junta.

Dictators, whatever their labels, are being dealt with harshly in Central Europe, East Germany and in some of the smaller countries of the world.

Why is all this happening, and why is it happening now? Not having the expertise or the training to answer definitively, I can only offer reasonable guesses.

Contrary to what you might think, Glasnost and Perestroika in Russia are not the cause, but merely symptoms of this world-wide movement. The shrinking of the world because of our ability to communicate quickly seems to be a factor. Even in a tiny country in Africa, the people have radios, they travel, newspapers are available, and there is information about how well the ruling class lives in comparison with the plight of the under-class. The United Nations has played an important part. The smallest nation in the world sends to the United States its ambassador who, in most cases, speaks English. When he returns, he takes with him both physical and literal examples of what life in a democracy can be. Representatives from all countries travel to other countries and bring home stories that make people see there is a better way. The very things we take for granted are still regarded with awe in a large part of the world. People ask why they can't have more of these things. TV is now international, and rock music has been translated into almost every language.

The demographers and sociologists will, I'm sure, eventually have this phenomenon figured out, but for now we know it's happening. We should recognize it as a force in the shaping of our lives. Significantly, in most of the areas of unrest, the democratic process is bringing about change. Assassination, the people have learned, only breeds chaos, whereas the democratic process results in continuity. Republics in the Soviet Block are electing legislative bodies and leaders whose political philosophy leans more toward democracy than dictatorship.

The uprising in Iran that ousted the Shah and brought in Khoumeni was a demonstration of the unwillingness of the Iranians to continue to submit to the autocratic regime of the Shah, with its dreaded secret police. What the eventual outcome of this fundamentalist movement will be, I do not know.

Right under our noses we have seen a tremendous interest in town elections, especially where the mode of government was concerned. Charters have been approved and disapproved. Voter turnouts are increasing.

In Sutton, the possibility of a power plant has brought together hundreds of people who want to have a voice in what they consider to be an important project. Another group of people has started the "Kids Country" project. The "Waters Farm" project, a grassroots development pioneered by Bud Gurney, has achieved National recognition.

Countries are beginning to choose "their own" to lead. Lech Walesa will certainly go down in history as a primary example of what can be done with intelligent, strong and unrelenting leadership. Every indication is that Lech Walesa will become the President of Poland.

This brings us to another manifestation of the "people" phenomenon. More and more people with non-political backgrounds are taking political leadership.

In Peru, novelist Mario Vargas Llosa and a 51 year old son of a Japanese immigrant, Alberto Fujimori, both political newcomers, were the two top vote getters in Peru's Presidential election.

The Economy Minister of Brazil who is making amazing progress improving Brazil's fantastic economic problems is Zelia Cardoso de Mello ... a 37 year old daughter of a policeman and a former Sao Paulo University professor. Corizon Aquinno, the President of the Philippines, the widow of an assassinated Government official, had no previous political experience. In Nicaragua, newly elected President Violeta Barrios de Chamorro is the widow of an assassinated newspaper publisher. In Czechoslovakia a playwright, Vaclav Havel, was elected President.

In the United States Senate just a few non-politicians are astronaut John Glenn, businessman Frank Lautenbach, and basketball player Bill Bradley. Ray Shamie, one-time candidate for Senator and Chairman of the Republican State Committee, held no previous political offices.

Among our non political State Senators and Representatives are John Houston, who was in the insurance business; Peter Blute who was in public relations; Kevin O'Sullivan who was with the Chamber of Commerce in Worcester; Steven Pierce who is an attorney; and Jack Flood who is an attorney.

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Incumbents will have more opposition this year than in any election in recent memory. Many aspirants will have no political background, but will have the support of people who are fed up with the actions of the General Court in Massachusetts.

The only reason we do not have a tax bill at the moment in Massachusetts is that our Representatives and Senators have received thousands and thousands of letters and telephone calls in opposition to new taxes, and in disgust with the Legislature's refusal to act sanely about balancing cuts and expenditures with income.

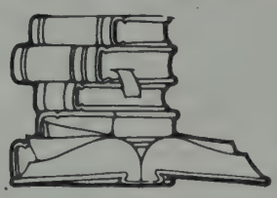
There is a feeling among incumbents that they are walking on broken glass this year. Some have the feeling that people will vote for anybody except the man who votes for a tax rise. And that brings us to John Silber. He has had no previous political experience, but he does have business and administrative experience, and has transformed Boston University from an economic problem to an economic success. He has made errors of commission, unlike some of our incumbents who have done nothing.

Will such a person, obviously qualified as an administrator, get a chance to be ratified in a primary? The 15% rule of the party could keep him off the Primary ballot. Here is a chance for the people of Massachusetts to rise up and exert their power on their Democratic Town and City Committees, to call and write asking to get Silber on the Primary ballot.

There is very strong, underlying support for Silber, even among die-hard Democrats who have made opportunistic public choices in support of a machine candidate.

If we are to be as good as Nicaragua or the Philippines or Poland or Czechoslovakia or Peru we must rise up and use our power to get Silber on the Primary ballot. You have proved by your actions in town affairs in Millbury, Sutton and other towns that you do have power. Use it! Give John Silber a chance to be nominated. Call your local committeeman now, and ask your friends in other towns to do the same.

From the Sutton Libraries



Books and More...!

By Joanne N. Donnelly

All that mankind has done, thought, gained or been: it is lying as in magic preservation in the pages of books. - **Thomas Carlyle, Heroes and Hero Worship**

A book shut tight is but a block of paper. - **Salada Tea Bag**

It's that time of year again; playoff hopes, baseball games, lawnmower not starting, town meetings, budget--all the important things.

Of the aforementioned, hope is all I know about playoffs, batting averages are a good teaching tool for decimals, new spark plugs do help unused lawnmowers, no one knows what is going to take up 45 minutes at Annual Town Meetings; but budgets--these I know. All my years have prepared me for handling the library's budget; such as frenzied additions here, miraculous stretching there, hoping that "2+2" will somehow add up to six, and settling for english muffins that don't have all those nooks and crannies or the high price tag those pockets of air command.

"Costing" is an interesting concept and brings monies down to an understandable amount. The large figures we'll keep for Town Meeting, but you'll find it interesting, perhaps intriguing, to find out what a book or video costs you. The following figures are rounded off and based upon a population of 7,000 (projected 1990 figure is 7020). If those 20 people would stand aside for a minute, the following figures are what it costs each man, woman and child.

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Speaking of videos and audios, we have added LETHAL WEAPON II, plus HONEY, I SHRUNK THE KIDS and INDIANA JONES & THE TEMPLE OF DOOM, and if I ever get to that fast-food enterprise, we'll have a second TEENAGE MUTANT NINJA TURTLE for our collection.

For all of you who still find there is nothing on TV, try our New Age audiocassettes. We are pleased to add David Lanz, Jim Chappell and Kitaro along with lovely Linda Ronstadt, Randy Travis and Chet Atkins. Handel's MESSIAH and Beethoven and Rossini trade secrets with the compact discs provided by the Central Massachusetts Regional Library System. The recent Bookmobile visit has left Kitaro, Grateful Dead, Ella Fitzgerald, Stravinsky and George Gershwin for you lucky C.D. owners.

Books and videos are trucked back and forth to Manchaug, your Director goes hither and yon to meetings and workshops, the news and New York Times reviews arrive, equipment is repaired and maintained, and Trustees are informed and advised, all for 15 cents.

Perhaps the most impressive figures are these: since circulation for calendar year 1989 was over 35,000, that means every Tom, Dick, Harry and Sally took out five books. Even little ones crawled out of here with books like ANNIE'S POTTY (toilet training), TEN LITTLE MICE (subtraction), and

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By the way, if you don't use the library, someone else walked out of here with your five books. If you are really concerned about them, come take yours out for two weeks before that someone else does. Bet you it was one of those 20 people we asked to stand aside.

Come see us soon, before the other 7,019 citizens do. Avoid the rush and long lines.

Tuttle Committee to Hold Yard and Bake Sale

MILLBURY - The Committee to Elect Alan M. Tuttle State Representative will hold a yard and bake sale on Sunday, May 20, at campaign headquarters, 3 Howe Avenue. The sale will be held rain or shine.

Anyone who would like to donate items for the yard sale can drop them off at 3 Howe Avenue on Wednesday, May 9, from 4-5 p.m. or 7-8 p.m., or on Saturday, May 11, from 11:00 a.m. to noon.

Arrangements to donate items for the yard of bake sale can also be made by calling Shirley Huchowski (865-4043), Carol Walsh (865-3070), or Alan Tuttle (865-9509).

Tuttle is running for State Representative from the Seventh Worcester District. As an independent candidate, he will not run in the September Primary but his name will appear on the ballot for the state election on November 6.

May Day Fair

SUTTON - A May Day Fair, sponsored by the Sutton P.T.A., will be held at the Elementary School, May 5, from 9-3 p.m. The following will be featured: arts and crafts, hayride, ultimate Frisbee demonstration, children's games, Peter Pan Players Musical Review, food.

Can and Bottle Drive

MILLBURY - The Boy Scouts of Troop 109 have set up a container at the transfer station where residents can deposit returnable bottles and aluminum cans. The returns will benefit the youth of Troop 109. The Troop will continue to hold can drives on the second Saturday of each month. The next one will be held on May 12. For pick-ups, call Ray Peare at 865-3693.

Winner in Talent Competition

SUTTON - Eight-year-old Rebekah Lindsay Coulter was a recent contestant in the Sunshine All American Talent Competition held April 12, 13, and 14 at the Westboro Mariott. Competition was held in all areas of talent, including vocal, dance and modeling. Rebekah won numerous awards, including the following: Young American Talent - solo variety, 1st winner award given for best song and dance combination; Young American Talent Solo Choice - open category of the competitor's own choice; Young American Costume Modeling Winner; High Point Vocal Award - given to the contestant with the highest total point score in that area of competition. Rebekah was the youngest contestant in any category to win a high point award; All American Showstopper Award - given to the top 10 point scorers out of all entries. Rebekah scored 6th out of 130 contestants.

In August of 1989, Rebekah won the Massachusetts Little Star State Talent competition and went on to the National Finals in Daytona Beach, Florida. There she won the National Vocal Division for ages 7-10.

Rebekah is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Coulter of Sutton. Her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Sten K. Brote and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Coulter, all of Sutton. She is a 3rd grader at Oxford Academy in Northboro.

'Oldies' Dance

SUTTON - An Oldies Dance to benefit Kids' Country will be held on Friday, May 4, at the Dudley Gendron Post, Boston Road, from 8 to midnight. Music will be provided by The Untouched. Admission is $5.00.

What's the Difference?

By Pat O'Leary & Larry Ham

HOW TO PLAY: The answers to the two clues are the same except the beginning consonant sounds are switched. For example: What's the difference between a neckwear fastener and a metal pan for baked desserts? One is a TIE PIN and the other is a PIE TIN. Sound counts, not spelling.

1. The un-heavy stone and the correct deadbolt?
   The [ ] and the [ ]
2. An ailing bank cashier and a straw-mattress salesman?
   A [ ] and a [ ]
3. An attractive girl in a saloon and "Miss America" in an auto?
   A [ ] in a [ ] and a [ ] in a [ ]
4. A reeking physician and a submerging "caviar-fish"?
   A [ ] &
   a [ ]

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ANSWERS: 1. The light rock and the right lock. 2. A sick teller and a tick seller. 3. A cutie in a bar and a beauty in a car. 4. A stinking surgeon and a sinking sturgeon.

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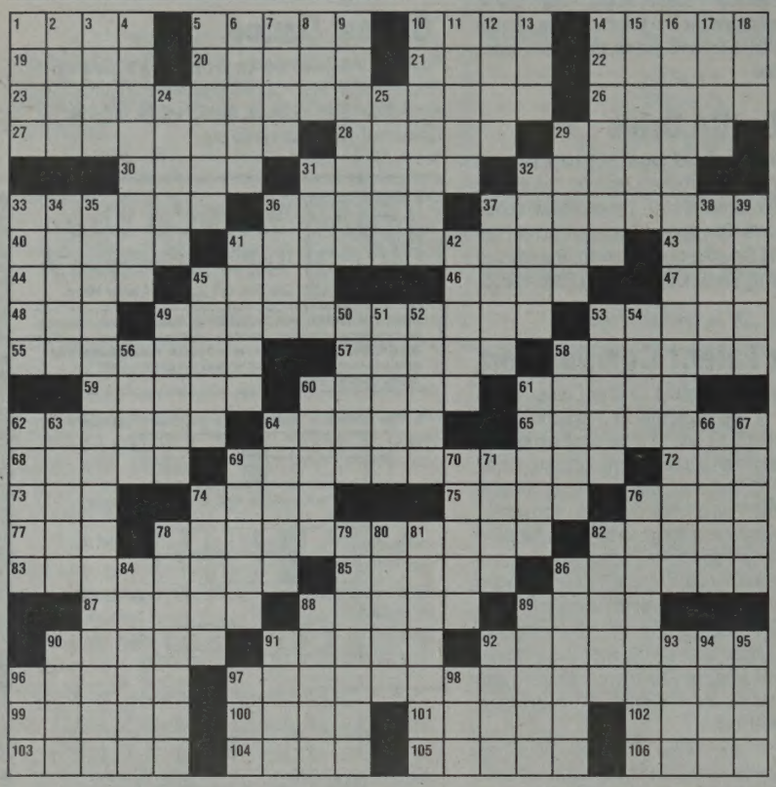

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By Frances Hansen

ACROSS

1 Large-mouthed fish
5 Puppeteer Lewis
10 Ripened
14 Likely
19 — above the average (better)
20 She's Reddy to sing
21 Roof overhang
22 Cause distaste
23 Historic April shower?
26 Pompeii's blanket
27 Dregs
28 Duck
29 Given a hint
30 Designer Oscar — Renta
31 Declaim
32 Huckster's helper
33 Second-largest Belgian city
36 Actor Kevin of "Sophie's Choice"
37 Garden activity
40 Songwriter Sammy and family
41 Manhattan area in an April shower?
43 Feel poorly
44 Waste allowance
45 Siamese
46 Golden Rule word
47 —-fi: Ray Bradbury's forte
48 Attention
49 Appropriate April wear?
53 Like an igloo's roof
55 Hit — (start traveling)
57 Letter sign-off
58 Coyly decorous
59 Ancient Aegean region
60 Mast spar
61 Lubricated
62 Not in attendance
64 Rosinante or Traveller
65 Slows the horses
68 Rectory
69 Nielsen gives April showers?
72 Half a dance name
73 Hill dweller
74 Tennyson poem
75 Peculiar to one: Comb. form
76 — moss
77 RR stop
78 Northerners in April?
82 Zoo favorite
83 Tanning equipment
85 "Ars —, vita brevis"
86 Grain product
87 — Buena, in San Francisco Bay
88 "For — sake!"
89 Misplaced
90 Soprano Lucine of the Met
91 Obtuse
92 Ava's was barefoot
96 On the — (sailing)
97 Businessman in April?
99 Matriculate
100 King-sized sandwich
101 — living (work)
102 Tatum's dad
103 Difficult age, often
104 Chief honcho of the Aesir
105 Procrastinate
106 Eliel Saarinen's son

DOWN

1 Off one's rocker
2 Hurt all over
3 Pressed charges
4 Shrill
5 Sheriff's badge
6 Would-be redhead's rinse
7 "Thanks —!"
8 Ump's counterpart
9 Meantime
10 Introduces oxygen
11 "En —!": fencing cry
12 Bacchanalian "Whoopee!"
13 Strauss's "— Rosenkavalier"
14 Pecan confection
15 Outcome
16 "Hamlet" highlight in April?
17 Require
18 High transits
24 Positive responses
25 Linda or Dale
29 Lively Latin bombshell
31 Fatty acid-related
32 Thin one's nickname
33 Eight maids a-singing
34 Caldwell or Bernhardt
35 Ethel Barrymore's April fib?
36 Former New Jersey governor
37 Kicks a pigskin
38 More pleasant
39 Move smoothly
41 Bygone Bara
42 Beverage unit
45 Characteristic
49 "Death Be Not Proud" poet
50 Excessive: Prefix
51 Kitchen gadget
52 Ramée's pen name
53 Fleur —
54 Premonitory signal
56 Fish eggs
58 Muralist Rivera
60 Book repository
61 Avifauna
62 Pile up
63 African people
64 Minestrone et al.
66 "— dream, dear..."
67 Birth-related
69 Argentinean plain
70 Model/actress Cheryl
71 Brainstorm
74 Cobra's cousin
76 Parquet circle
78 "Newhart" brothers
79 Fine French lace
80 — hot (so-so)
81 Prepared to propose
82 Popular pasta sauce
84 Use as a prop
86 TV comedian Tim
88 Laboratory dish
89 Blackmore's Doone
90 "Rule Britannia" composer
91 Mortgage paper
92 Sandburg or Reiner
93 Terrier type
94 Char slightly
95 Cartoonist Peter
96 Gambler's act
97 "The —" of rock 'n' roll
98 New Guinea seaport

Solution to Last Week's Puzzle

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"... AND WHY DO PEOPLE ALWAYS SAY "BY AND LARGE?
I DON'T EVEN KNOW WHAT "BY AND LARGE" MEANS!
AND DON'T YOU HATE IT WHEN PEOPLE SAY "UP AND AT 'EM"?
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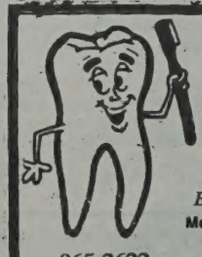
I'VE BEEN WATCHING ANDY ROONEY TOO MUCH.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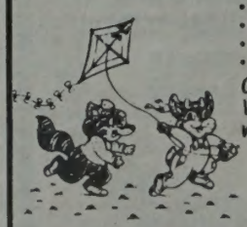
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Calendar

FRIDAY, MAY 4

MILLBURY - The Women's Association of the Raymond Memorial Congregational Church (United Church of Christ) will hold a Rummage Sale in the church Hall, 5 Raymond Street (near the entrance to the Mass. Turnpike) from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

SUTTON - An Oldies Dance to benefit Kids' Country will be held at the Dudley Gendron Post, Boston Road, from 8 to midnight. Admission is $5.00.

SATURDAY, MAY 5

SUTTON - A May Day Fair, sponsored by the Sutton P.T.A., will be held at the Elementary School from 9-3 p.m.

SUTTON - A Sirloin Tips Supper will be held at the Sutton Congregational Church on Boston Road with sittings at 5:00 and 6:15 p.m.

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MONDAY, MAY 7

SUTTON - Annual Town Meeting - Elementary School - 7:30 p.m.

MILLBURY - The Millbury Women's Club will hold its Annual Meeting at the Wayside Inn, Sudbury. Cocktails will be served at 11:30 a.m. followed by a luncheon at 12:30 p.m.

TUESDAY, MAY 8

MILLBURY - District Nursing Blood Pressure Clinic at the Asa Waters Mansion, 9:30-11:30 a.m.

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Town of Millbury
REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

The Town of Millbury requests proposals from certified contractors for the chemical treatment of aquatic nuisance vegetation in Dorothy Pond. Area to be treated is approximately 75 acres, accessible by small power boat.

For further information, contact the Administrative Assistant to the Board of Selectmen, Earle W. Chase, Jr. at 865-4710 or in person at the Millbury Town Hall. Order of Conditions for this treatment is on file with the Millbury Conservation Commission.

Millbury Board of Selectmen

Millbury Planning Board
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

In accordance with the provisions of Chapter 40A of the M.G.L., the Millbury Planning Board will hold a public hearing on Monday, May 14, 1990 at 8:00 p.m. at the Municipal Office Building at 127 Elm Street, Millbury on the application of Baril Oil Service, Inc. on Howe Avenue for a Site Plan Review Special Permit.

Anyone wishing to be heard on this application should appear at the time and place designated above.

Anna Lewandowski
Chairwoman
April 26, and May 3, 1990

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ST. BRIGID'S - MILLBURY: Rev. Thomas J. Markey, Pastor; Rev. Laurence V. Brault, Associate Pastor - Weekday Masses: 7:00 a.m. and 9:00 a.m.; Saturday Masses: 4:00 p.m. and 5:30 p.m.; Sunday Masses: 7:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.; Confessions: Saturday from 11:30 a.m. to noon, and from 3:00 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.

St. ANNE'S - MANCHAUG: Weekday Masses: Monday through Thursday 9:00 a.m.; Friday at 7:00 p.m.; Saturday Masses: 5:00 p.m.; Sunday Masses 7:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. Confessions: Saturday at 4:00 p.m.; Baptisms by appointment.

ST. MARK'S - SUTTON: Rev. John E. Horgan, Pastor - Weekday Masses: 9:00 a.m.; Saturday Masses: 5:00 p.m.; Sunday Masses: 8:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. Confessions: Saturday 4:00 p.m. to 4:45 p.m.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL, MILLBURY, Telephone - 865-9737 (church) or 1-800-339-6654 (home): Rev. Prescott E. Grout, Interim Minister - Sunday Morning Worship: 10:30 a.m. - Church School 9:00 a.m.; Mondays 7:00 p.m., Diet Workshop; Deacons - First Thursday; Executive Board - Second Monday; Millbury Woman's Club - First Monday at noon.

MILLBURY FEDERATED CHURCH - UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST, United Methodist Church - Rev. Charles Mansfield, Interim Pastor - Sundays: 10:00 a.m., Worship and Childcare; 10:15 a.m., Church School; 11:00 a.m. Coffee Fellowship

FIRST BAPTIST, WEST SUTTON: The Rev. John Olson - Sunday Morning Worship at 9:30 a.m. followed by Coffee Time at 10:30 a.m.; 3rd Tuesday of each month - Women's Association meetings.

FAITH ALIVE MINISTRIES - all welcome. 138 Providence Tpke. (Rte.146), Millbury, MA, 865-5966. Pastor John Pfeffer: Sunday morning service and Sunday school, 10:00 am; Evening, 7:30 pm; Wednesday Bible Study at 7:30 pm.

MILLBURY BAPTIST (American Baptist): The Rev. H. Raeburn Cameron, Pastor; Mr. Charles H. King, Minister of Music. Sunday School - Nursery through Adults at 9:00 a.m.; Sunday Morning Worship at 10:00 a.m. (nursery provided); Communion Sunday, first Sunday of the month. Wednesdays: 10:00 a.m., Discovery Group meets for Bible study; Thursdays, Choir Rehearsal at 7:30 p.m.

RAYMOND MEMORIAL CONGREGATIONAL (United Church of Christ): Mr. Raymond Mars, Pastor; Miss Elfreida Klaucke, Organist - Sunday Morning Service at 9:30 a.m.

ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL, Main St., Wilkinsonville: Rev. Walter E. Reynolds; Saturday, 5:30 p.m. - Holy Communion; Sunday, 8:00 a.m. Holy Communion - 10:00 a.m. Holy Communion (1st-3rd-5th Sunday); Morning Prayer on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of the month. Church School - Pre-School - Grade 8

EMANUEL LUTHERAN, 200 Greenwood Street, Worcester, MA, Telephone: 756-6620: George G. Kinney, D.Min., Pastor; Family Worship Service, 9:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.; Educational Hour for Children and Adults, 10:30 a.m.; Communion on First Sunday of the month. Nursery provided.

ST. ANDREW'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH, 53 N. Main St., N. Grafton, 839-3453; Vicar, the Rev. Dr. Thomas Sullivan. Holy Eucharist 8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. Sundays.

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, 88 Main St., South Grafton. Member-Conservative Congregational Christian Conference. Howard C. DeVries, Pastor; Austin McLaughlin, Organist and Music Director. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m. Sunday Morning Worship, 11 a.m. Sunday evening Service of Prayer and Praise, 7 p.m. Wednesday, choir rehearsal.

THE VILLAGE BIBLE CHURCH, meeting in the Raymond Memorial Church, Raymond Street, East Millbury: Pastor, Rev. Bruce Buchanan; Sunday Services at 11:00 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.; Sunday School, 5:30 p.m.; Wednesday night prayer meeting and Bible study, 7:00 p.m.

SUTTON FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH: Rev. Andrew J. Bierkan, Pastor - SUNDAYS: 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship & Church School in the Meetinghouse. Crib Room Nursery, Kindergarten, Grades 1-8 at 10:00 a.m.; Jr. P.F. twice a month; Sr. P.F. 7-9 p.m. PROGRAMS: Thursday Morning Bible Study at 10:00 a.m.; 2nd Thursday, Women's Fellowship of Sutton luncheon/program/meeting at noon. MONTHLY PUBLIC SUPPERS, 1st Saturdays, 5-7 p.m. MONTHLY PUBLIC LUNCHEONS: 3rd Wednesdays - noon to 1:00 p.m. April-Nov. Church School stops after June 10, Children's Day.

ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH, 70 South Main St., Oxford. Pastor: Rev. Steven Goetsch. Saturday services at 5:00 p.m. Sunday services at 10:00 a.m. (July & August, 9:00 a.m.) Sunday School at 8:45 a.m. Holy Communion at all services.

'Mr. Wizard's Invisible World'

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MILLBURY - Students at the Shaw Middle School received a visit recently from Eric Lazar, assistant to Don Herbert, better known as "Mr. Wizard". Lazar presented a program entitled, "Mr. Wizard's Invisible World." The 40-minute live program explored the ocean of air that surrounds us. This program was funded by the Millbury Parents' Club.

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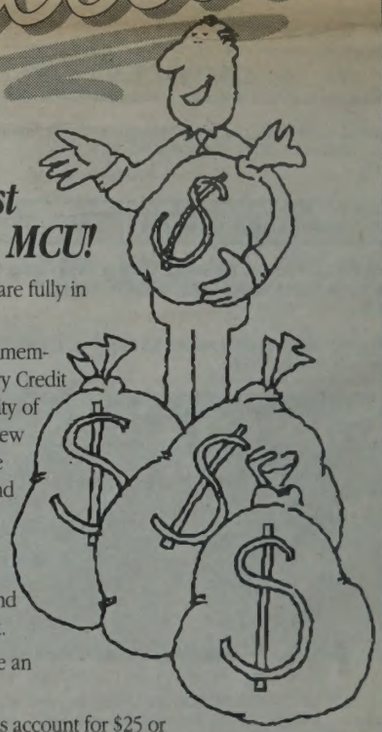

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